

# Year 3 in the Commonwealth Spirit



20<sup>th</sup> April 2018

## Hot Weather

Should the hot weather continue next week (fingers crossed!), please make sure your child has sun cream applied at home (they can reapply more themselves at lunch time if needed), wears a sunhat and brings a bottle of water to keep hydrated.

## PTA

Please come along to the next PTA meeting on Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April at 6pm in the Y4 room. The meeting lasts no longer than half an hour and refreshments are provided. We hope to see you there.

## Donations Needed

We are building up themed boxes of toys for children to choose from the play shed at break times and would greatly appreciate donations of the following items:

***Building blocks, dolls and action figures, small world animals (not soft toys), small world dinosaurs (not soft toys), fairy toys, figurines and fairy garden items, buckets and spades, toy cars (non-battery powered) and diggers, car registration plates, blankets, play food***

If you have anything from the list please bring it into the office and it will be put to very good use.

## What's On?

PTA Meeting @ 6pm	Monday 23rd	Kick-boxing Games & Jigsaws Y2-6
Singalong R-Y6	Tuesday 24th	Gardening Y1-6 Rounders Y5/6 Chess Y3-6 Country Dancing R-Y6
Tag Rugby Competition @ 4pm	Wednesday 25th	Guitars Y3-Y6 Junior Craft Y3-6 Tag Rugby Y3-6
Hair R-Y6	Thursday 26th	Change 4 Life Infant Craft Y1-2 Clayton Cup Y5/6
Y5 Swimming	Friday 27th	Athletics Y1/2

## Twitter

If you use Twitter, please follow us @LancyLane

## Class and Team Photos

Orders for class and team photographs should be returned to school by Friday, 27th April.

## Requests for Absences from School

You will be aware that Head Teachers cannot authorise absences from school apart from in exceptional circumstances. Holidays should not be booked in term time without making an appointment to see Mrs Geldard first.

## Staffing Information

Miss Molly Burns will be working in Year 5 under the close supervision of both Mr Wood and Miss Haywood until the end of June.

## Football Matches

Our A and B teams played football matches this week against Eccleston Primary. Although we didn't win the scores were very close and the children enjoyed it and did their best. Well done!

## Parent View

Have you shared your views on our school on Parent View? Follow this link:

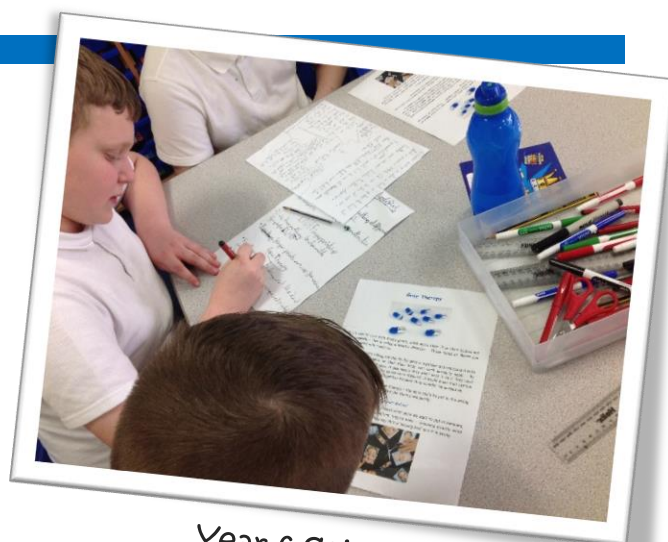
<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/parent-view-results/survey/result/14,276/all> if you haven't.

## Circus at St Bede's

One of our local primary schools is organising a Pop Up Circus. The event will be at St. Bede's Primary School, Clayton le Woods on Saturday 28th April @ 1pm and 2.30pm. If you would like tickets, please call into the office and we will contact St Bede's to arrange this. Tickets prices are £7 each.

## Outside Achievements

Emily in Year 1 achieved her Duckling Award in Swimming, Poppy in Year 3 received a certificate for running her 21<sup>st</sup> park run (which is equivalent to a marathon), Beth in Year 3 won Gold in a recent gymnastics competition and Tilly received a medal for a cross country run. Well done to all of you.



Year 6 Science



Fun in the Sun!



Year 2 had a visit from the Fire Service



# Early Learners Pre-School

We are currently open five days a week offering full day or sessional care – a combination of these sessions can be attended to meet your childcare needs:

Breakfast club - 7.45am-9am, Mornings - 9am -12pm  
 Lunch - 12pm - 12.30pm, Afternoons - 12.30pm - 3.30pm.  
 Stoppers - 3.30pm - 5.45pm (for children aged 3 and over).



The children in Early Learners are very proud of their fantastic phonic work.

## Special Mentions this week

<b>Reception</b> Maiyah	<b>Year 1</b> Max	<b>Year 2</b> Khy	<b>Year 3</b> Seth	<b>Year 4</b> Sammy	<b>Year 5</b> Toby	<b>Year 6</b> Ethan M
<b>Mrs Geldard's choice is Michael in Year 3</b>		<b>Mrs Gray's choice is Jonathan in Year 6</b>			<b>Mrs Anstey's choice is Oscar in Year 3</b>	
Team points this week – <b>BEAVERS</b>			Attendance – Year 5		Punctuality – Years 5	

## Online Safety:



### How safe are the sites, apps and games your child uses?

Run in partnership with O2, Net Aware offers parents useful information about each social network, including the age guidance for users.

**Visit Net Aware**

[www.net-aware.org.uk](http://www.net-aware.org.uk)



## Upcoming Dates

- Monday, 23rd April - PE Funding Working Party Meeting @ 3.30pm (all welcome)
- Monday, 23rd April - PTA Meeting @ 6pm
- Monday, 23rd April - St George's Day Special Lunch
- Tuesday, 1st May - Year 2 SATs start
- Friday, 4th May - Sunday, 6th May - Tower Wood Weekend
- Monday, 14th May - Year 6 SATs start
- Monday, 14th May - Tower Wood Celebration Assembly @ 2.30pm
- Thursday, 17th May - Royal Wedding Special Lunch
- Monday, 21st May - Friday, 25th May - Special Week
- Friday, 25th May - School closes @ 3.25pm
- Wednesday, 6th June - School re-opens @ 8.55am